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APPOINTMENTS TO FILL VACANCIES IN SUBSIDIARY ORGANS AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Appointment of members and alternate members of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee

Note by the Secretary-General

1. As indicated in document A/49/107 of 18 April 1994, it will be necessary for the General Assembly, during its current session, to appoint four members and four alternate members to fill vacancies in the membership of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee for terms of office of three years, beginning 1 January 1995. The present members and alternate members whose terms of office expire on 31 December 1994 are Mr. Tarak Ben Hamida, Mr. Leonid Bidnyi, Mr. Jorge Duhalt, Mr. Tadanori Inomata, Mr. Michael G. Okeyo, Mr. Ranjit Rae, Mr. Clive Stitt, and Ms. Susan Shearouse.

2. The following persons have been nominated by their respective Governments for appointment or reappointment:

Mr. Tadanori Inomata (Japan);

Mr. Vladimir V. Kuznetsov (Russian Federation);

Mr. Philip Richard Okanda Owade (Kenya);

Ms. Susan Shearouse (United States of America);

Mr. Clive Stitt (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);

Mr. M. El Hassane Zahid (Morocco).

3. The candidates' curricula vitae follow.

Tadanori INOMATA

(Japan)

Date of birth	19 May 1942
Place of birth	Hyogo-ken, Japan
Sex	Male
Marital status	Married

Education

1961-1965	Keio University, Tokyo, Japan, Bachelor of Laws (Political science, international relations)
1966-1967 and 1970-1971	Keio University, Graduate School Master of Laws (Government and international relations)
1966-1968	Université de Rennes, France (Faculté de droit et des sciences économiques)
1971-1972	Institute for International Studies and Training Fujinomiya, Japan Diploma (Area studies - China, international business management and language - English and Chinese)

Professional experience

1966	Joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
1968-1970	Attaché, Delegation of Japan to the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)
1970-1975	Economic Affairs Division, United Nations Bureau
1975-1978	Administrator, OECD
1978-1982	Economic Affairs Division, United Nations Bureau
1982-1984	Deputy Director, Energy Resources Division, Economic Affairs Bureau
1984-1987	Deputy Director, Manufactures Division, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)
1988-1993	Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations
May 1993-present	Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Japan to the International Organizations in Vienna

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International meetings and conferences attended

United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board and Standing Committee

United Nations General Assembly (Second, Third and Fifth Committees)

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Commission on Narcotic Drugs

United Nations Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice

Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme

UNCTAD (fourth, fifth and seventh sessions)

Trade and Development Board of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization

Committee on Conferences

OECD Development Assistance Committee

General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade

General Conference and Board of Governors of the International Atomic Energy Agency

Conference on International Economic Cooperation (Paris, May 1975-June 1977)

Membership

1988-1994	Member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions
1989-1991	Alternate member of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee
1992-present	Member of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee
1992-present	Chairman of the Standing Committee of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board
1992-present	Vice-Chairman of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board

Vladimir Vasilevich KUZNETSOV

(Russian Federation)

Date of birth	4 May 1957
Current post	Head of the Administrative and Budgetary Section of the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the United Nations

Education

1974-1979	Moscow State Languages University, Moscow
1977	State University of New York, Albany, New York
1980	United Nations translators' courses, Moscow
1985	Courses in economic retraining of diplomatic staff, Diplomatic Academy of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Vocational experience

1980-1984	United Nations Secretariat, New York
1984-1989	Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the USSR, Department of International Organizations, section for United Nations Secretariat administrative and budgetary questions, Attaché, Third and Second Secretary
1986-1989	Member of the USSR delegation to the Fifth Committee of the General Assembly at its forty-second and forty-fourth sessions
1989-1991	Second Secretary in the Permanent Mission of the USSR to the United Nations, member of the delegation to the Fifth Committee
From 1992	First Secretary and Counsellor in the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the United Nations
1990-1994	Member of the delegation to the Fifth Committee of the General Assembly at its forty-fifth to forty-eighth sessions; member of the delegation to the Committee for Programme and Coordination at its thirty-first to thirty-fourth sessions; member of the delegation to the Committee on Conferences
1994	Member of the Ad Hoc Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts established pursuant to General Assembly resolution 48/218
Family status	Married, with a daughter and a son

Philip Richard Okanda OWADE

(Kenya)

Date of birth	30 June 1956 Married with two children
Education	
1977-1980	University of Nairobi Bachelor of Arts (LL.B)
1980-1981	Kenya School of Law Diploma in law Admitted as Advocate of High Court of Kenya
Training courses	Attended many training programmes including the following: Marine Affairs/Law of the Sea Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia Refugee Law training seminars, Kenya Internship Programme at the International Union for the Conservation of Nature Environmental Law Centre, Bonn, Germany, on legal protection of biological diversity UNITAR Training Programme on peace-making and preventive diplomacy, Burg Schleining, Austria
Employment	
1981-1983	Legal Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
1983-January 1988	Second Secretary, later, First Secretary, Kenya Embassy, Tokyo
February 1988- December 1989	Senior Legal Officer/Deputy Head of Legal Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation
January-December 1990	Acting Head, Legal Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation
January 1991-June 1992	Special Assignment as Legal Adviser to the Kenya Government on the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development

1992-1993	Head/Legal Division/Legal Adviser, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation
September 1993 to date	Counsellor/Head of Chancery and Deputy Head of Mission of Kenya, Kenya Permanent Mission to the United Nations, New York

International meetings and conferences

May 1982	Leader of the Kenyan delegation to the third session of OAU Charter Review Committee of the Organization of African Unity, Addis Ababa
August 1982	Member and Legal Adviser to the Kenyan delegation to the thirty-ninth ordinary session of the OAU Council of Ministers, Tripoli, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
1981-1983	Member of the Kenyan Government Negotiating Committee on the Preferential Trade Area Agreement (PTA)
	Member of the Kenya delegation to several bilateral air services agreement negotiations
May 1983	Leader of the Kenyan delegation to the Afro-Asian Legal Consultative Committee annual meeting in Tokyo
January 1989	Leader of the Kenyan delegation to the fourth session of the OAU Charter Review Committee, Addis Ababa
February 1989	Adviser to the Kenyan delegation to the twenty-eighth session of the Afro-Asian Legal Consultative Committee, Nairobi
22 May-3 June 1989	Leader of the Kenyan delegation to the fifth session of the OAU Charter Review Committee, Addis Ababa
September 1989	Member of the Kenyan delegation to Rome, Italy, on the San Marco remote-sensing project
23-28 October 1989	Member of the Kenyan delegation to the fourth annual policy organs meeting of the Northern Corridor Transit Transport Coordination Authority, Kinshasa
November 1989	Member of the Kenyan delegation to the PTA Committee of Experts, the PTA Council of Ministers and PTA Authority, Nairobi
February 1990	Leader of the Kenyan delegation to the fourth Indian Ocean Marine Affairs Cooperation Standing Committee, Jakarta, Indonesia

March 1990-August 1990	Leader of the Kenyan delegation to the eighth session of the Preparatory Commission for the International Seabed Authority and for the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea at Kingston, Jamaica
May 1990	Leader of the Kenyan delegation to the fifth Indian Ocean Marine Affairs Cooperation Standing Committee Meeting in Colombo, and Chairman of the Legal Committee
June 1990	Member of the Kenyan delegation to bilateral air service negotiations, London
3-7 September 1990	Adviser to the Kenyan delegation to the Indian Ocean Marine Affairs Cooperation II Conference in Arusha, United Republic of Tanzania, and Chairman of the Legal Committee
October 1990	Leader of the Kenyan delegation to the third meeting of PTA Legal Experts, Lusaka
February 1990	Member of the Kenyan delegation to the second meeting of the Ad Hoc Working Group of Legal and Technical Experts on Biological Diversity, Nairobi
May 1991	Legal Adviser to the Kenyan delegation to bilateral air services renegotiations between Kenya and India, New Delhi
September 1991	Member of the Kenyan delegation to the third meeting of the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee on the Convention on Biological Diversity, Nairobi
1989-1993	Member of the Kenyan delegation to several United Nations Environment Programme Governing Council meetings
July 1991	Adviser to the Kenyan delegation to the African Regional Preparatory Meeting for the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development, Cairo
1990-1991	Legal Adviser to the Kenyan delegation to the first, second, third and fourth sessions of the UNCED preparatory commission in Geneva, Nairobi and New York
June 1992	Legal Adviser to the Kenyan delegation to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development, Rio de Janeiro
22 September- 8 October 1992	Legal Adviser to the Kenyan delegation to the twenty-ninth session of the International Civil Aviation Organization General Assembly, Montreal

June 1993	Legal Adviser to the World Conference on Human Rights, Vienna
September 1993 to date	Member of the Kenyan delegation to the forty-eighth session of the General Assembly
	Chief delegate to the Fifth Committee
	Member of the Kenyan delegation to the forty-ninth session of the General Assembly
	Delegate to the Fifth Committee

Articles and publications

The admissibility of illegally obtained evidence: a study in the theoretical foundations of criminal justice (to be published)

The effectiveness of international environmental law in Africa

The evolution and development of diplomatic immunity law

Professional memberships

Member of the Law Society of Kenya

Member of the Board and Legal Adviser of Waste Management Centre, a Kenyan NGO active in environmental management

Susan SHEAROUSE

(United States of America)

Professional experience

1983-present	Adviser, United States Department of State
	United States Mission to the United Nations; member of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Committee, January 1992-December 1994; member of the United States delegations to the Fifth Committee, United Nations Children's Fund and the United Nations Development Programme Governing Council; previously served as the United States representative to the Committee on Conferences and adviser to the Committee for Programme and Coordination; responsible for the promotion of United States policies in the areas of personnel, administration, management and financing of the United Nations and the New York-based United Nations agencies
1981-1983	Project Director, Sheet Metal Worker's Local Union No. 28, New York
	Responsible for the administration of a government-financed pilot employment and training project for minorities
1978-1981	Federal representative, United States Department of Labor, New York
	Responsible for all aspects of Government-financed employment and training programmes in rural counties of New York State
1977-1978	Recruitment Coordinator, ACTION-Peace Corps/VISTA, New York
	Developed and coordinated policies and procedures for VISTA programme in the north-east region
1976-1977	Environmental Designer, VISTA volunteer, New Jersey and North Carolina
	Designed urban parks

Education

Rutgers College, New Brunswick, New Jersey
B.A. in Environmental Planning, 1976

Clive STITT

(United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)

Born: Dublin, Ireland, 1 January 1948

Educated: Royal Belfast Academical Institution
Pembroke College, Oxford (1966-1970)

Professional experience

1970 Third, Secretary, Western European Department, Foreign and Commonwealth Office, London

1971-1972 Language training, School of Oriental and African Studies, London University, and Tehran

1972-1974 Third Secretary, British Embassy, Kabul

1974-1976 Third, later Second Secretary, British High Commission, New Delhi

1977-1979 Second Secretary, Maritime, Aviation and Environment Department, Foreign and Commonwealth Office, London

Head of Section for Fishery Zone Extension and Enforcement, Maritime Boundary Delimitation for the United Kingdom and Dependencies, and the United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea

1979-1982 First Secretary, South-East Asian Department, Foreign and Commonwealth Office, London

Head of Section for Indo-China, including refugee issues

1982-1986 First Secretary, United Kingdom Mission to the United Nations, Geneva

Head of UNCTAD Section, including commodity negotiations and least-developed country issues

1986-1988 First Secretary and Assistant Head of Department, East African Department, Foreign and Commonwealth Office, London

Responsible for bilateral and regional issues in East Africa, the Horn of Africa and the Indian Ocean

1988-1992 Counsellor and Head of Department, Commonwealth Coordination Department, Foreign and Commonwealth Office, London

September 1992- Counsellor, United Kingdom Mission to the United Nations, New York

Major international conferences attended:

United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea, sixth session, Geneva, 1978 (Secretary to the United Kingdom delegation)

United Nations Meeting on Refugees and Displaced Persons in South-East Asia, Geneva, 1979

Pledging Conference for Emergency Humanitarian Relief to the People of Kampuchea, New York, 1979

UNCTAD, sixth session, Belgrade, 1983

Various sessions, Trade and Development Board, UNCTAD committees and working parties, and commodity conferences, Geneva, 1982-1986

Commonwealth Heads of Government Meetings, Kuala Lumpur, 1989 and Harare, 1991

Commonwealth Senior Officials' Meetings, Seychelles, 1988 and Port Moresby, 1990

Commonwealth Finance Committee and Subcommittee, London, 1988-1992

Committee for Programme and Coordination, thirty-second and thirty-third sessions, 1992 and 1993

Fifth Committee of General Assembly, forty-seventh session, 1992-1993

Member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 1993

Alternate member, United Nations Joint Staff Pension Committee, 1993 and 1994, and alternate representative at the 1993 special session of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund Board, and at the forty-sixth regular session: member, Standing Committee, 1994

Married with two children.

Working languages: English, French.

El Hassane ZAHID

(Morocco)

Mr. Zahid was born in 1949 at Beniyazgha, Fez region. He is married and has two children.

He began his diplomatic career as Secretary for Foreign Affairs in July 1973 after graduating from the National School of Administration (diplomatic section).

From July 1973 to August 1974 he worked in the General Administration as assistant to the head of personnel.

From August 1974 to August 1977 he worked in the Consulate-General of Morocco in Düsseldorf, Germany, as Vice-Consul.

From September 1977 to December 1979 he was head of the refugees and stateless persons service in the Division of Consular and Social Affairs.

From January 1980 to December 1981 he took the advanced-level course in the National School of Administration, obtaining the corresponding diploma in December 1981. In January 1981 he was appointed Counsellor for Foreign Affairs in the Department of Multilateral Economic Affairs, where he worked until August 1983.

Since September 1983 he has been Counsellor for Foreign Affairs in the Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Morocco to the United Nations. During this period he has represented his country in several United Nations bodies:

First Committee, 1986-1988

Second Committee, 1983

Special Political Committee, 1985

Fourth Committee, 1994

Fifth Committee, 1984, 1989-1994

Economic and Social Council, May 1984, June 1984, February 1985, May 1985, April-May 1986, February 1987

UNDP, February 1984, February 1985, June 1985

United Nations Children's Fund, April 1985

Committee on Information, March 1985, May 1994

Committee for Programme and Coordination, April 1985, May-June 1989, September 1990, June 1991, May 1992

Committee on Conferences, 1993 (Vice-Chairman), 1994 (Rapporteur)

Commission on Transnational Corporations, tenth session, April 1984, twelfth session, April 1986

Intergovernmental Committee on Science and Technology for Development, May-June 1994

Committee on Applications for Review of Administrative Tribunal Judgements, January and September 1985

Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting, March 1985

Committee on Natural Resources, April 1985

Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, February and June 1986

Disarmament Commission, May 1987, May 1988

International Conference on the Relationship between Disarmament and Development, August-September 1987

Third special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament, May-June 1988

Languages: Arabic, English, French, German and Spanish